

EC-Earth3-ESM Earth System Model

Global Climate Model

Global Carbon Cycle Model

Model Components

IFS (Atmospheric Model):

T255 (0.75°) ~80km

L91 (top 0.01hPa) ~mesosphere

IFS-HTESSEL (Land Model)

NEMO (Ocean Model):

Nominal 1° Resolution

L75 levels (thousands km deep)

LIM (Sea-ice Model):

Multiple (5) ice category

PISCESv2 (Ocean Biogeochemical Model):

Lower trophic levels of marine ecosystems

LPJ-GUESS (Dyn. Glob. Vegetation Model):

Process-based, plant functional types

TM5-CO2 (Atm. Chem. Transport Model):

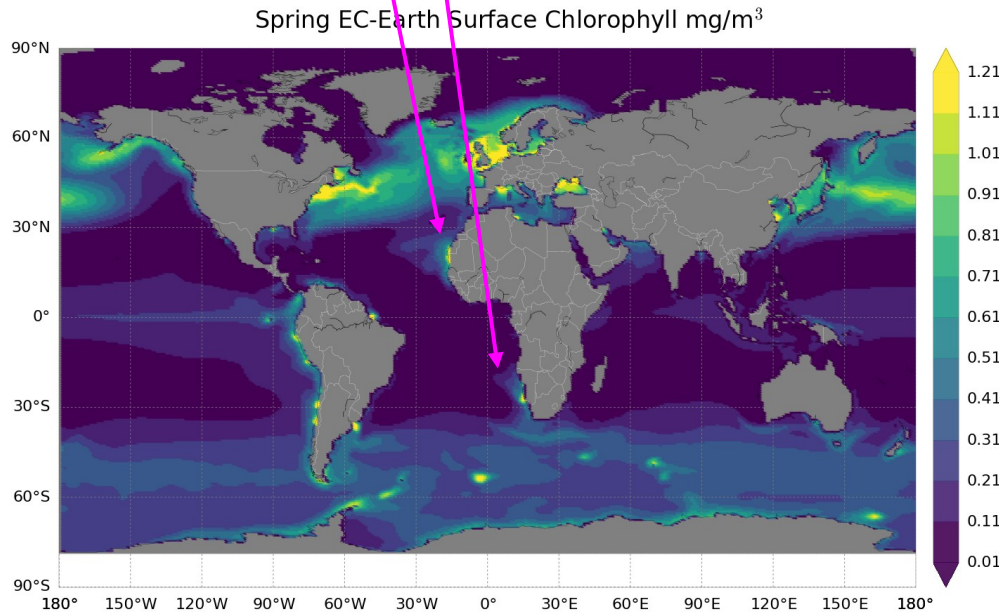
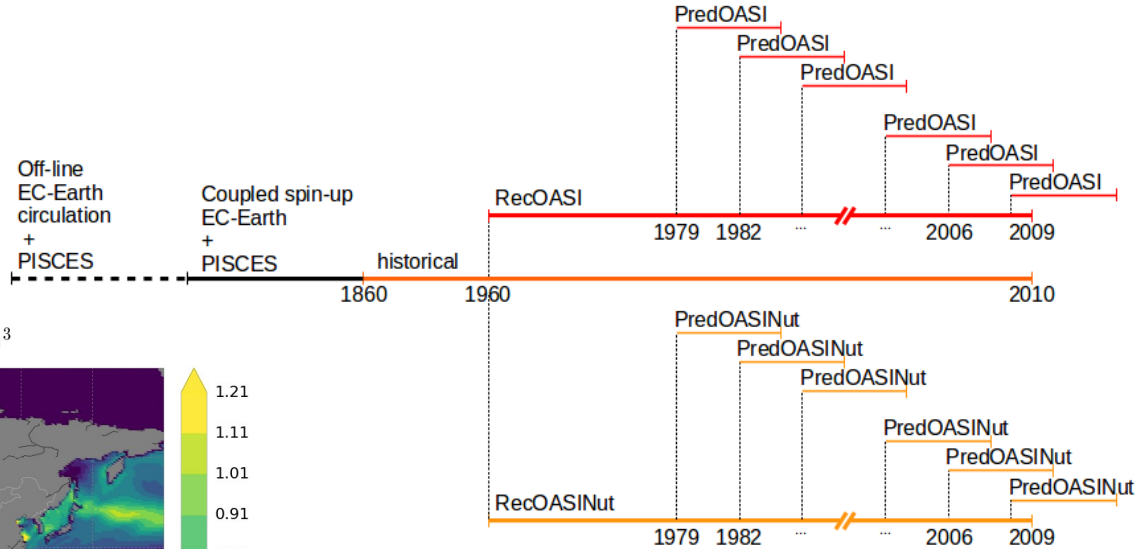
34 layers, single-tracer version (CO2)



Investigating mechanisms of predictability of ocean biogeochemical properties



Validation using satellite obs

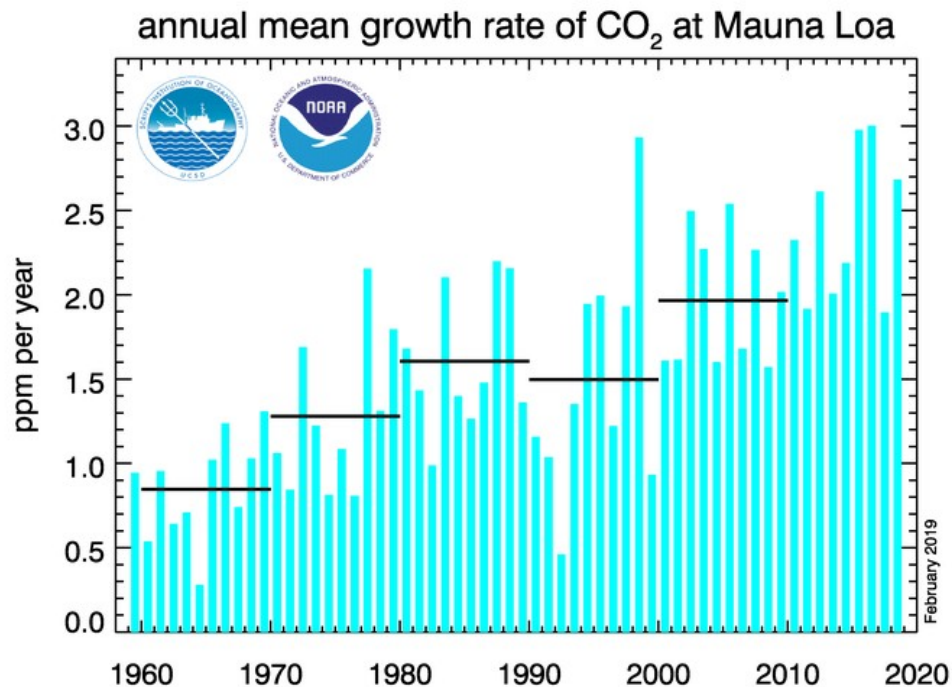


Retrospective decadal predictions using different initializations



Towards a near-term prediction of the climate and carbon cycle interactions in response to Paris Agreement emission trajectories

Variability in atm CO₂ growth rate is mostly due to natural variability



Testing different ocean biogeochemical reconstructions as initial conditions

Retrospective decadal predictions of ocean and land carbon uptake

Idealized perfect-model experiments to investigate mechanisms of C uptake predictability in the ocean.

C4MIP requirements

DECK (CO2-concentration-driven)

- piControl (500 years)
- historical (165 years, 1850 - 2014)
- 1pctCO2 (141 years)

EC-Earth + PISCES + LPJ-GUESS
non-interactive mode (no TM5)

947 years

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- esm-piControl (500 years)
- ems-hist (165 years, 1850-2014)

EC-Earth-CC :
IFS+NEMO+PISCES+LPJ-GUESS+TM5

Tier 1

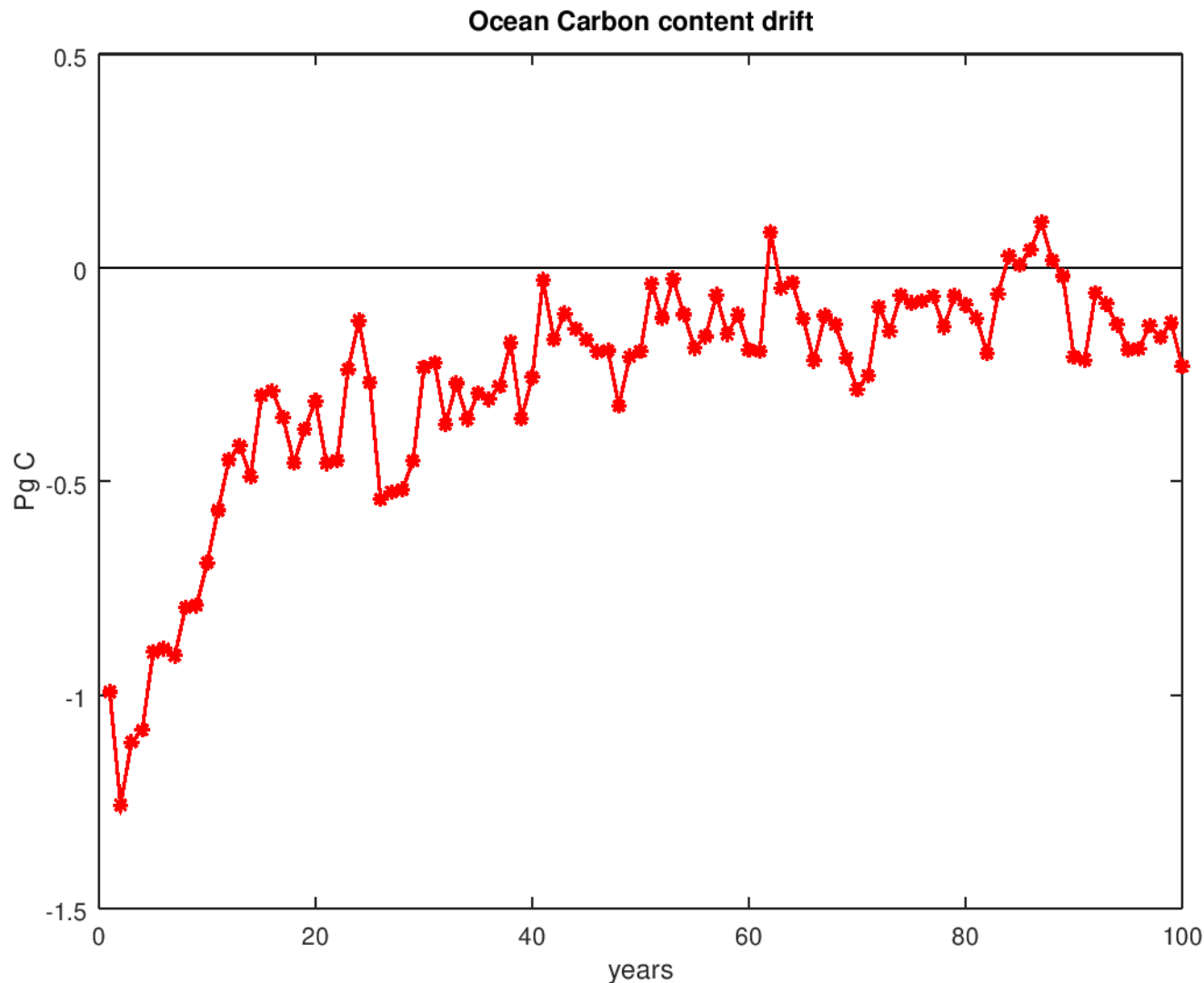
- 1pctCO2-bgc (141 years)
- esm-ssp585 (86 years, 2015-2100)

751 years

C4MIP status:

- spinup concentration-driven almost completed
- extension of spinup for emission-driven starting soon.

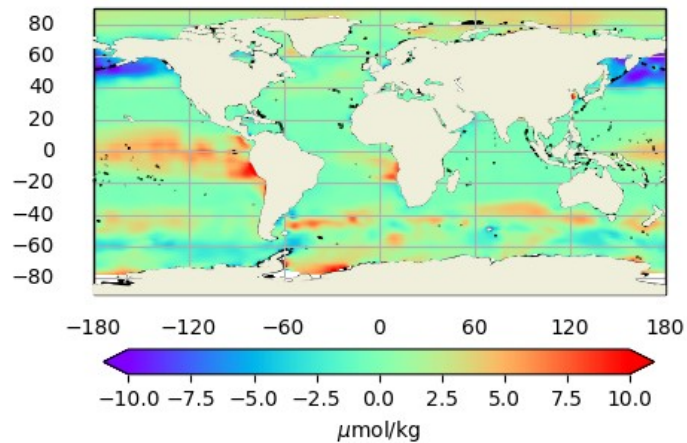
Actual C4MIP production to start in September with publication on ESGF early November



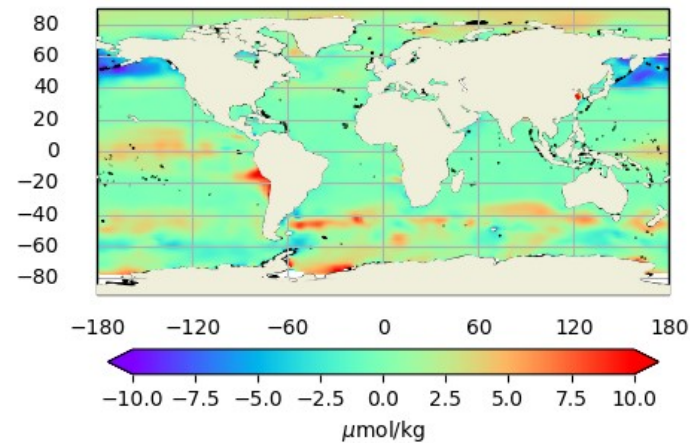
Ocean BGC reconstructions

Experiment	3D-nudging (T&S)	Surface restoring (SST&SSS)	no-nudging
a1yp	Default: τ (k= 2 \leftrightarrow z=1.5m) = 3 days τ (k=10 \leftrightarrow z=14m) = 3.1 days τ (k=20 \leftrightarrow z=61m) = 3.2 days τ (k=30 \leftrightarrow z=180m) = 3.8 days τ (k=40 \leftrightarrow z=500m) = 5.6 days τ (k=46 \leftrightarrow z=950m) = 9.2 days τ (k=50 \leftrightarrow z=1390m) = 15.4 days τ (k=60 \leftrightarrow z=3000 m) = 84 days τ (k=70 \leftrightarrow z=4900 m) = 329 days	Default: $\gamma_T = -40 \text{ W/m}^2/\text{K}$ $\gamma_S = -150 \text{ mm/day}$	3°S - 3°N
a1z8	τ (M.L. < z < 800m) = 10 days τ (z > 800m) = 360 days	Default	15°S - 15°N
a1zs	Default	$\gamma_T = -600 \text{ W/m}^2/\text{K}$ $\gamma_S = -2250 \text{ mm/day}$	3°S - 3°N
a20w	Default	Default	6.4°S – 6.4°N

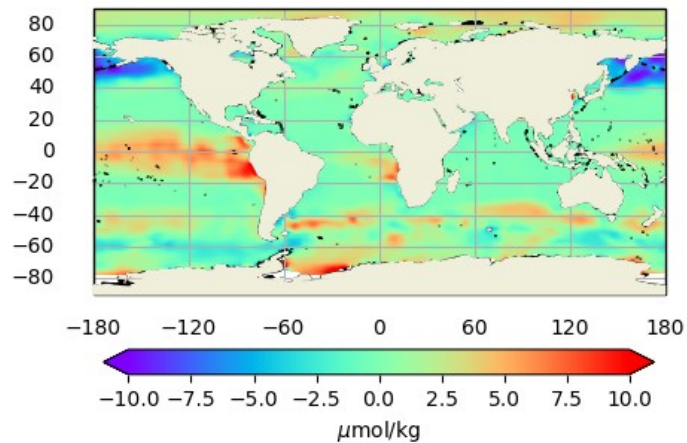
Mole Concentration NO3 (Exp. a1yp - Climatology WOA)



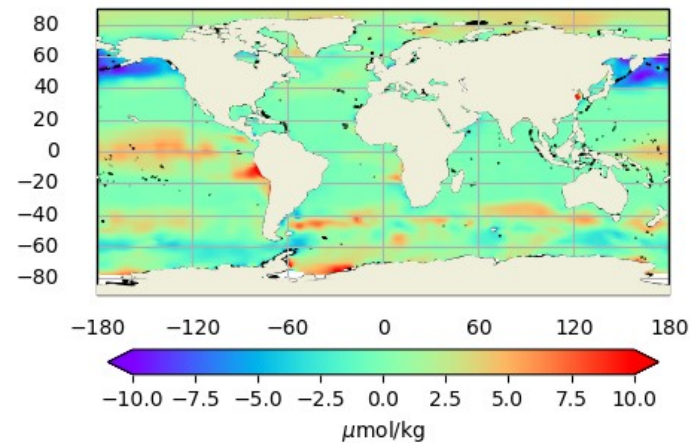
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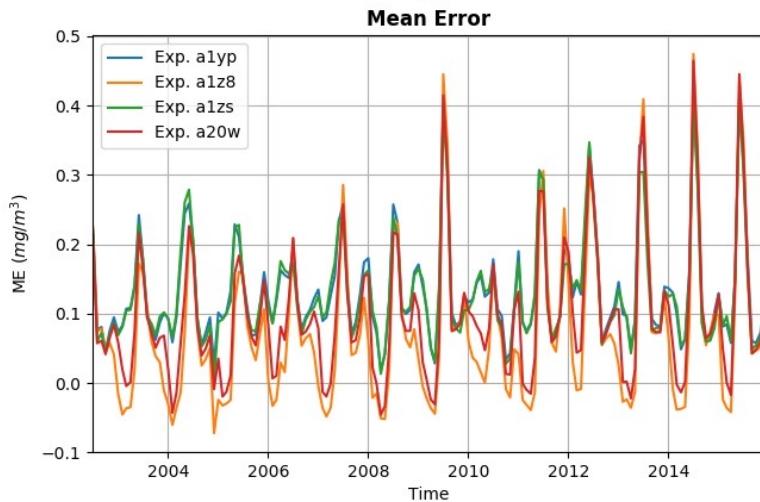
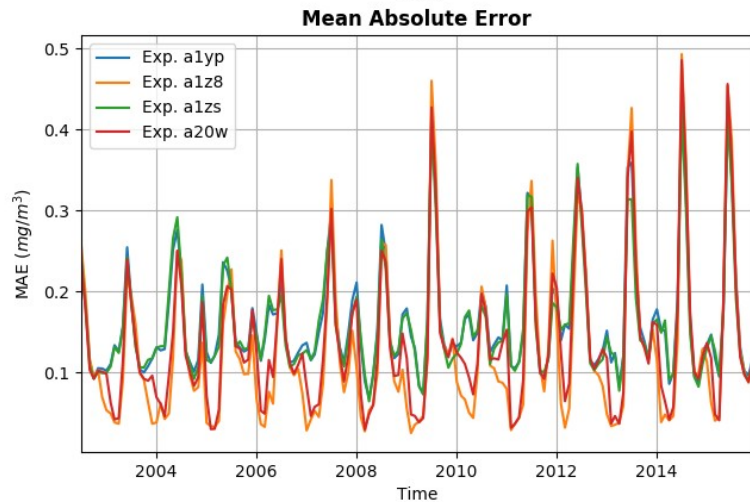
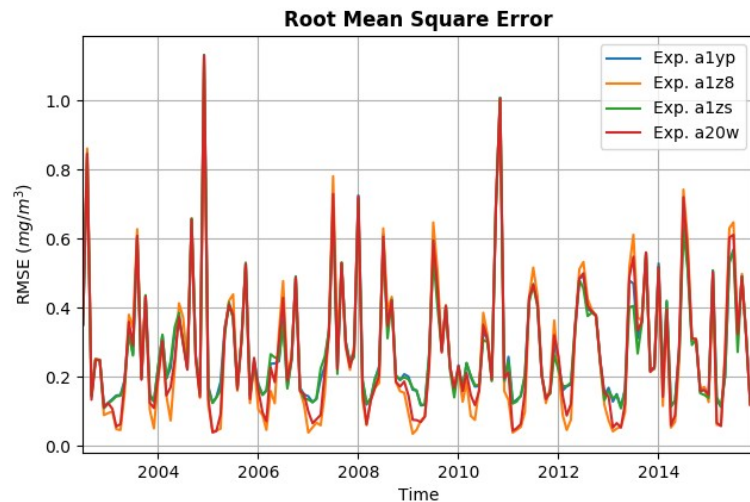
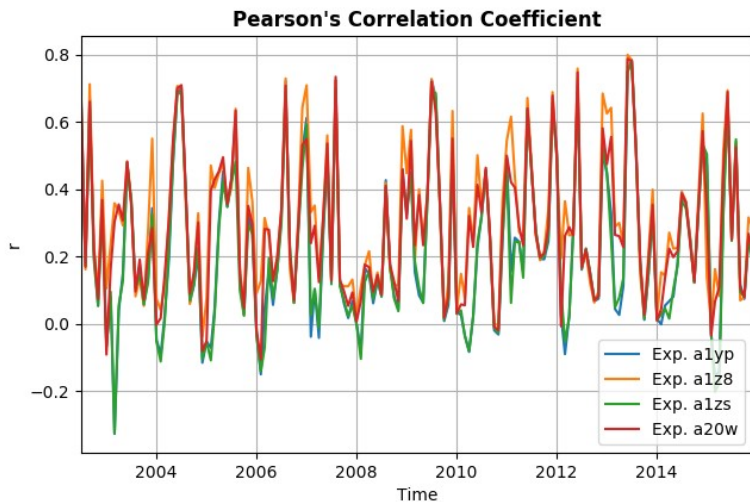
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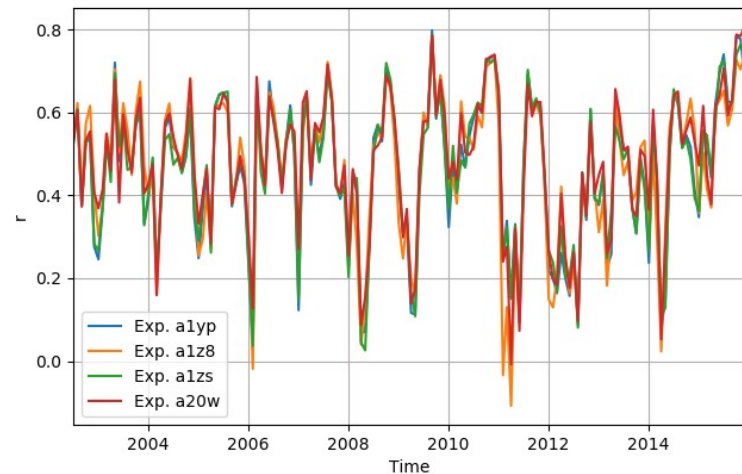


Equatorial Atlantic (-7 7N, -30 -10E) - time series metrics

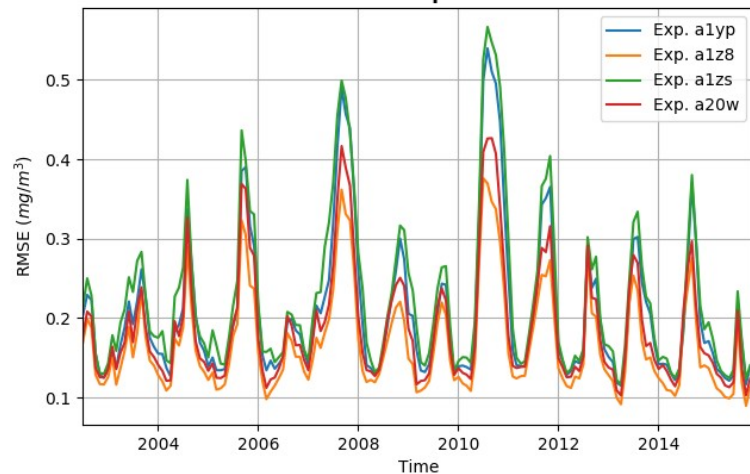


Equatorial Pacific (-10 10N, -135 -95E) - time series metrics

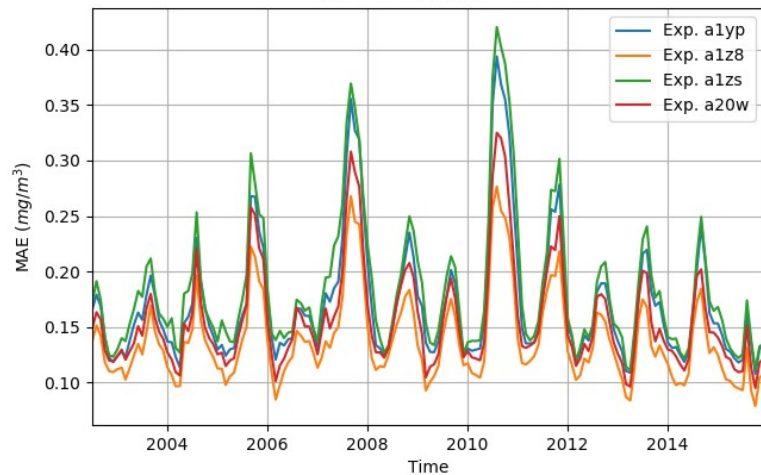
Pearson's Correlation Coefficient



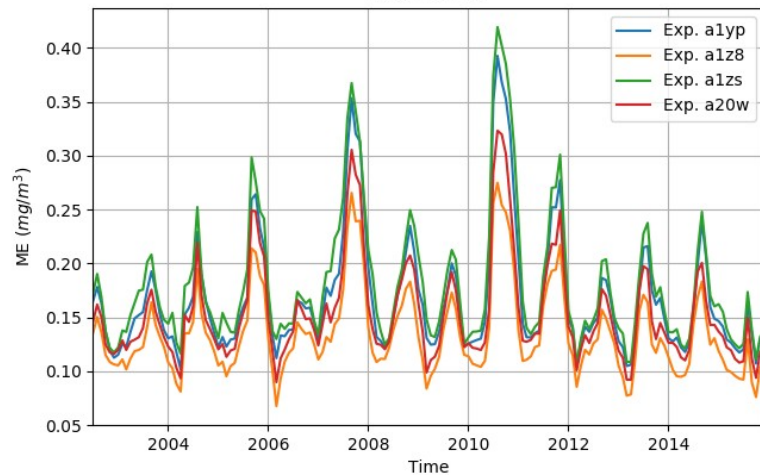
Root Mean Square Error



Mean Absolute Error

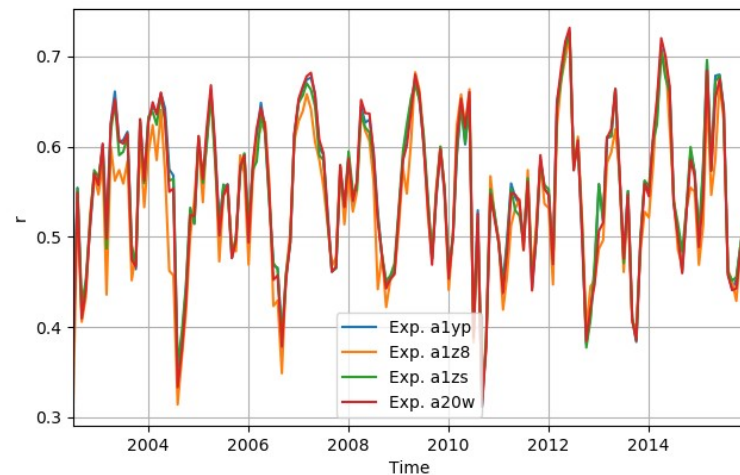


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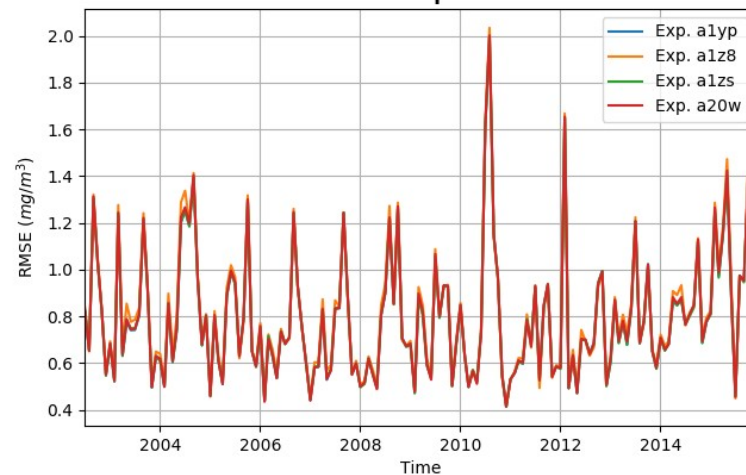


Namibian Region (-30 -10N, -40 20E) - time series metrics

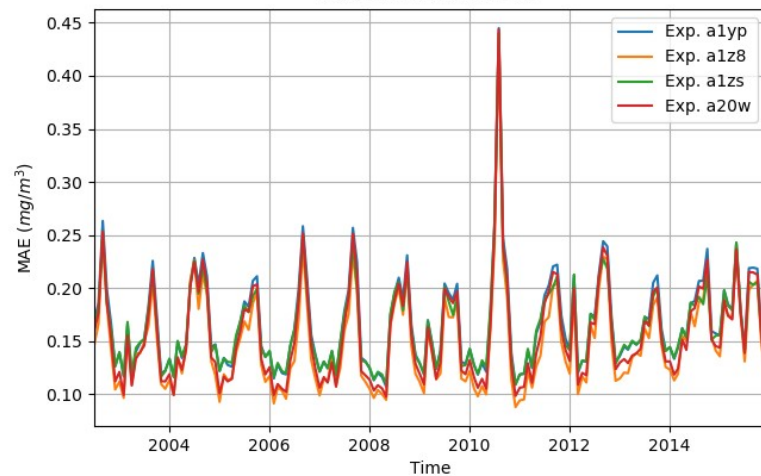
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